

# LOBBYIST MONTHLY REPORT FORM

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Secretary of State

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<b>L-3</b> LOBBYISTS (Sec. 67-6619)

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Lobbyist's name and permanent business address <b>Stephen H. Ahrens Idaho Assn. of Commerce &amp; Industry PO Box 389 Boise ID 83701</b>	Date prepared <p style="text-align: center;">2/6/03</p>	Period covered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> month ending <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">(Mo.)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">(Day)</td> <td style="text-align: center;">(Yr.)</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">31</td> <td style="text-align: center;">03</td> </tr> </table>	(Mo.)	(Day)	(Yr.)	1	31	03
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**Item 1** Totals of all reportable expenditures made or incurred by Lobbyist or by Lobbyist's Employer on behalf of Lobbyist's Employer.

Category of Expenditure <small>Reimbursed Personal Living and Travel Expenses Pertaining to Lobbying Activity Do Not Have to be Reported</small>	Total Expenditure	Proportionate amounts contributed by each employer (Identify employers, under Item 3, at bottom of page.)			
		Employer No. 1	Employer No. 2	Employer No. 3	Employer No. 4
Entertainment	\$ 1,469.73	\$ 1,469.73	\$ _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Food and Refreshment	0.00	_____	_____	_____	_____
Living Accommodations	0.00	_____	_____	_____	_____
Advertising	0.00	_____	_____	_____	_____
Travel	0.00	_____	_____	_____	_____
Telephone	53.00	53.00	_____	_____	_____
Office Expenses	100.00	100.00	_____	_____	_____
Other Expenses or Services	0.00	_____	_____	_____	_____
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 1,622.73</b>	<b>\$ 1,622.73</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>	<b>\$ 0.00</b>

**Item 2** The totals of each expenditure of more than fifty dollars (\$50) for a legislator or other holder of public office.

Date	Place	Amount	Names of Legislators & Public Officials in Group
NONE			

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<b>INSTRUCTIONS</b>	<b>Item 3</b> Employer(s) Name(s) and Address(es)								
<p><b>Who should file this form:</b> Any lobbyist registered under Section 67-6617 Idaho Code</p> <p><b>Filing deadline:</b> Monthly reports due within ten (10) days of the month for activities of the past month.</p> <p><b>TO BE FILED WITH:</b> Pete T. Cenarrusa Secretary of State PO Box 83720 Boise, ID 83720-0080 Phone: (208) 334-2852 Fax: (208) 334-2282</p>	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%; padding: 5px;">No. 1</td> <td style="padding: 5px;"><b>Idaho Assn. of Commerce &amp; Industry PO Box 389, Boise ID 83701</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">No. 2</td> <td style="padding: 5px;"> </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">No. 3</td> <td style="padding: 5px;"> </td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 5px;">No. 4</td> <td style="padding: 5px;"> </td> </tr> </table>	No. 1	<b>Idaho Assn. of Commerce &amp; Industry PO Box 389, Boise ID 83701</b>	No. 2		No. 3		No. 4	
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Item 4	Expenditures made by the lobbyist or by the lobbyist's employer in the nature of contributions of money or other tangible or intangible personal property to any Legislator, or for or on behalf of any legislator.		
	Date	Amount	Name of Legislator Receiving or Benefited

NONE

Item 5	Subject matter of proposed legislation, the number of the Senate or House Bill, Resolution or other legislative activity in which the Lobbyist was supporting or opposing.	<b>LEGISLATIVE SUBJECT IDENTIFICATION</b>	
		Code Subject	Code Subject

Subject Code (from table)	Bill, Resolution or Other Legislative Ident. Number	Appropriation Bill Number and Section Number
01, 02, 03, 04, 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30	See Attached List	

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| 01 Agriculture, horticulture, farming, and livestock                                   | 17 Health service, medicine, drugs and controlled substances, health insurance, hospitals |
| 02 Amusements, games, athletics and sports   | 18 Higher education   |
| 03 Banking, finance, credit and investments  | 19 Housing, construction, codes   |
| 04 Children, minors, youth, senior citizens  | 20 Insurance (excluding health insurance)   |
| 05 Church and religion   | 21 Labor, salaries and wages, collective bargaining                                       |
| 06 Consumer affairs  | 22 Law enforcement, courts, judges, crimes, prisons                                       |
| 07 Ecology, environment, pollution, conservation, zoning, land and water use           | 23 License, permits   |
| 08 Education   | 24 Liquor   |
| 09 Elections, campaigns, voting, political parties                                     | 25 Manufacturing, distribution and services   |
| 10 Equal rights, civil rights, minority affairs  | 26 Natural resources, forest and forest products, fisheries, mining and mining products   |
| 11 Government, financing, taxation, revenue, budget, appropriations, bids, fees, funds | 27 Public lands, parks, recreation  |
| 12 Government, county  | 28 Social insurance, unemployment insurance, public assistance, workmen's compensation    |
| 13 Government, federal   | 29 Transportation, highways, streets and roads  |
| 14 Government, municipal   | 30 Utilities, communications, televisions, radio, newspaper, power, CATV, gas             |
| 15 Government, special districts   | 31 Other (please specify) _____   |
| 16 Government, state   |   |

CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the above is a true, complete and correct statement in accordance with Section 67-6624 Idaho Code.

*Stephen H. Owens* 2-6-03  
 Lobbyist signature Date

# BILLS TO FOLLOW

## 57th Idaho Legislature, First Session

February 5, 2003

(IACI Position: + Support, - Oppose, M= Monitoring, N= Neutral)

Bill and Description		House	Senate	Final
H2 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Stevenson)</b> Appropriation bill authorizing \$25,000 from the general fund to fund an energy study.	Appropriations		
H3 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Clark)</b> Would require the Sheriff's Department in affected counties to inform the public (including addresses and photos) when a violent sexual predator (as determined by the Sex Offenders Classification Board) is released into the community.	Judiciary & Rules		
H8 (M)	<b>(By Bureau of Occupational Licenses)</b> Brings Landscape Architects Licensure Act into conformity with model law; revises qualifications for licensing landscape architects; revises grounds for appeals, disciplinary action and penalties; deletes language dealing with certificates and registration, and adds language for licenses	Business		
H27 (-)	<b>(By Department of Labor)</b> Provides a specific remedy if it can be proven that an employer terminated a worker as a retaliatory action because the worker filed a wage claim dispute.	Commerce & Human Resources		
H47 (-)	<b>(By Idaho State Police)</b> To prevent videotaping of people in situations in which they have a reasonable expectation of privacy.	Withdrawn by Sponsor		
H53 (M)	<b>(By Speaker Newcomb)</b> Gives flexibility to the Professional Board of Engineers and Land Surveyors in issuing licenses based on equivalent credentials for those without engineering or surveying degree.	Business		
H57 (M)	<b>(By Speaker Newcomb)</b> Increases the opportunity to request a hearing before the Director of the Department of Water Resources in cases involving an application for a permit, license or certificate.	Resources & Conservation		
H61 (M)	<b>(By Department of Insurance)</b> Provides administrative penalty for violating any rule promulgated by the director of the Department of Insurance, in addition to the existing penalty for a violation of the code.	Business		
H67 (M)	<b>(By Speaker Newcomb)</b> Transfers the responsibility for protection of native wild plants from the state Department of Parks and Recreation to the Department of Fish and Game.	Resources & Conservation		
H70 (+)	<b>(By Idaho Department of Labor)</b> Freezes Unemployment Insurance tax rate at current 2002 level for calendar years 2003-2004.	Passed 67-3	Passed 33-0	To Governor
H72 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Leon Smith)</b> Minor amendments and technical corrections to the Small Lawsuit Resolution Act of 2002, as developed and agreed to by interim work group.	Judiciary & Rules		

H73 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Ring)</b> Raises cigarette tax from 28 cents to \$1.28 per package of 20 cigarettes; increases percentage of cigarette tax collected per package going to the Public School Income Fund.	Revenue & Taxation		
H81 (-)	<b>(By State Tax Commission)</b> Clarifies that tax credits earned by investment in broadband equipment or in economically depressed counties are transferable only by the taxpayer who initially earned the credit, meaning credits can be transferred only once.	Revenue & Taxation		
H83 (+)	<b>(By Department of Lands)</b> Allows the State Land Board to extend the current 10-year lease for the Tamarack Resort project to a longer-term 49-year lease necessary for economic success of the project and for maximum return to the State Endowment Fund.	Passed 66-0	State Affairs	
H92 (+)	<b>(By Idaho Liability Reform Coalition)</b> Tort reform bill would: <b>(A)</b> Cap non-economic damages at \$250,000, with inflation index; <b>(B)</b> Cap punitive damages at the greater of \$250,000 or three times the compensatory damages award; <b>(C)</b> Reduce bond required to be filed for appealing a damage verdict; and <b>(D)</b> Repeal the last minor elements of Joint & Several Liability.	Judiciary & Rules		
H94 (M)	<b>(By Rep. McKague)</b> Calls for school district elections to be held on one of Idaho's four consolidated election dates; would require school Board of Trustee elections to be held on the May primary date; would not apply to Idaho's charter districts.	State Affairs		
H95 (M)	<b>(By Rep. McKague)</b> Voters in a school district would be allowed to vote at-large on all school trustee candidates, although candidates would still be required to live in the district from which they are elected.	State Affairs		
H121 (-)	<b>(By Rep. Trail)</b> Public School and Higher Education Plant Facilities Act of 2003; For 10-year period, would devote sales & use tax collections from sale or purchase of natural gas, electricity and water, or on the sale or purchase of any matter used to produce heat by domestic home use, including wood, coal, petroleum and gas, to the use of the school and university plant facilities; of funds collected, \$55 million would go to the School Plant Facilities Fund, with the remainder put into the Permanent Building Fund.	Revenue & Taxation		
H126 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Clark)</b> Caps property tax relief to school districts at \$69 million annually, regardless of future valuation escalation.	Revenue & Taxation		
HCR1 (M)	<b>(by Rep. Stevenson)</b> Authorizes the Legislative Council to appoint a committee to study energy-related issues, saying "There may be some benefits to a competitive electric utility industry."	Resources & Conservation		
HCR11 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Trail)</b> Authorizes appointment of a bipartisan committee, made up of both legislators and non-legislators, to analyze Idaho's sales tax, individual and corporate income tax, and property tax structures, including sales tax exemptions, income tax credits/deductions, and property tax exemptions.	Revenue & Taxation		
HJR1 (M)	<b>(By Rep. Trail)</b> Constitutional amendment to allow addition of State Treasurer to the State Land Board, making 6 members; means Governor would vote only in case of ties.	State Affairs		

<p><b>S1009 (By Sen. Davis)</b> A non-candidate entity making independent campaign expenditures of \$1,000 or more after the 16<sup>th</sup> day before, but more than 48 hours before, a primary or general election, shall file a written statement of the expense with the Secretary of State not less than 48 hours from the time of the expenditure.</p>	State Affairs	Passed 34-0	
<p><b>S1021 (By Association of Idaho Cities)</b> Allows assessors more flexibility to develop their own plan for reappraising county property, while still requiring that all property be reappraised once every 5 years.</p>		Local Government & Taxation	
<p><b>S1049 (By Sen. Sorensen)</b> Expands Idaho Drug-Free Workplace Act to include public employers; clarifies that all employers, both public and private, may choose to have a Drug-Free Workplace program; for employers complying with the act, provides a workers' compensation rate reduction.</p>		State Affairs	
<p><b>S1060 (By Sens. Lodge, Bunderson, Davis &amp; Marley, and Reps. Schaefer, Smylie, Eskridge &amp; Shepherd)</b> Relates to electronic alternatives to certified mail – in cases where transmission by certified mail is required, the record may be transmitted electronically with consent of the recipient.</p>		State Affairs	
<p><b>S1061 (By Sens. Lodge, Bunderson, Davis &amp; Marley, and Reps. Schaefer, Smylie, Eskridge &amp; Shepherd)</b> Repeals the outdated electronic commerce statutes passed in 1998 to eliminate redundancies, inconsistencies and overlap with the Uniform Electronic Transaction Act passed in 2000.</p>		State Affairs	